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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 17 June 1969

DD/I noted that the NSC will meet tomorrow to consider a paper on Strategic Arms Limitation Talks (SALT), NSSM No. 28, and that the Director will brief for approximately ten minutes. He added that the briefing paper is ready and that he is satisfied with it.

Godfrey called attention to a sensitive State cable from Lima reporting on President Velasco's current situation.

D/ONE noted that he, the DDCI, and others met with Dr. Kissinger on Saturday to discuss the Memorandum to Holders of NIE 11-8-68. D/ONE observed that he will be discussing this matter with the Director later in the day but recommended that USIB meet again to consider a revised Memorandum.

Carver reported on his 16 June briefing of Dr. Kissinger on the relative effectiveness of Laotian and Cambodian logistical systems. He added that, in the last analysis, the briefing went very well but that Dr. Kissinger has requested a memorandum on what intelligence steps might be taken in order to obtain more definitive data.

Maury related that Carl Marcy called on 12 June to say that he was unable to understand how Senator Fulbright's draft speech might jeopardize intelligence sources and to ask that we document this position. Marcy called subsequently on this matter to ask that we appear before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee sometime toward the end of this week. Marcy added that Secretary Laird will then be called to testify before the same Committee, essentially to be confronted with whatever contradictions may exist between our testimony and the Secretary's "white paper."

Maury recalled that on 13 June the DD/S&T briefed Senator Case on the MIRV problem and noted that Bill Woodruff is nervous about this matter in that Senators Russell and Case have opposing views on the ABM.

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Bross reported that PFIAB is scheduled to meet on 23 and 24 June. The Director indicated that he will not be free on these dates and that General Cushman will handle the matter.

DD/S&T noted that work is under way to respond to questions raised at the 13 June NSC meeting.

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DD/P reported that he was in New York yesterday, where he saw Ambassador Yost and others. He noted that Yost was most complimentary of our support.

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